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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

HEATHER ALTMAN and ELIZA WIATROSKI, Individually and on Behalf of All Others Similarly Situated, : Civil Action No.: 1:23-cv-02536-KMW-EAP

Plaintiffs,

v.

CERTIFICATION OF CHRISTOPHER J. CORMIER IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR ADMISSION OF ATTORNEYS PRO HAC VICE

CEASERS ENTERTAINMENT, INC.,

BOARDWALK REGENCY LLC d/b/a CEASERS

ATLANTIC CITY HOTEL & CASINO, HARRAH'S:

ATLANTIC CITY OPERATING COMPANY, LLC:

d/b/a HARRAH'S RESORT ATLANTIC CITY

HOTEL & CASINO, TROPICANA ATLANTIC:

CITY CORPORATION d/b/a TROPICANA CASINO:

AND RESORT ATLANTIC CITY, MGM RESORTS:

INTERNATIONAL, MARINA DISTRICT:

DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, LLC d/b/a:

BORGATA HOTEL CASINO & SPA, HARD ROCK:

INTERNATIONAL INC., SEMINOLE HARD:

ROCK SUPPORT SERVICES, LLC, BOARDWALK:

1000, LLC d/b/a HARD ROCK HOTEL & CASINO:

ATLANTIC CITY, and CENDYN GROUP, LLC,

Defendants. :

I, Christopher J. Cormier, hereby certify as follows:

1. I am a Partner with the law firm Burns Charest LLP, with offices at 4725 Wisconsin

Avenue, NW, Suite 200, Washington, DC 20016.

- 1. I am a member in good standing of the following bars since being admitted in the years indicated: all Courts in the District of Columbia (Admitted: 2/3/2006), all courts in the State of Colorado (Admitted: 8/13/2014), all courts in the state of Virginia (Admitted: 9/14/2022), United States District Court for the District of Colorado (Admitted: 1/20/2017), United States District Court for the District of Columbia (Admitted: 4/7/2008), United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit (Admitted: 12/2/2009), United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit (Admitted: 9/18/2008), Supreme Court of the United States (Admitted: 11/2/2009)<sup>1</sup>.
  - 2. I am not under suspension or disbarment by any court.
- 3. I have no disciplinary proceedings pending against me in any jurisdiction, and no discipline has previously been imposed on me in any jurisdiction.
  - 4. Burns Charest LLP does not maintain an office in the State of New Jersey.
- 5. I seek to appear and participate in this action on behalf of Burns Charest LLP as counsel for Plaintiffs with Mindee J. Reuben, Joseph J. DePalma, and Catherine B. Derenze of Lite DePalma Greenberg & Afanador, LLC, who serve as counsel of record.
- 6. If admitted *pro hac vice*, I will make payment to the New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection as provided by New Jersey Court Rule 1:28-2(a).
- 7. If admitted *pro hac vice*, I will make a payment of \$150.00 on admission to the Clerk, U.S. District Court.
  - 8. If admitted *pro hac vice*, I will abide by L. Civ. R. 101(c).
- 9. If admitted to appear *pro hac vice* before this Court, I shall strictly observe the rules governing practice in the District of New Jersey, shall submit to the disciplinary jurisdiction of the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Pursuant to L. Civ. R. 101(c)(1), attached as Attachment 1 is a list of the names and addresses of the officials or offices that maintain the rolls of the members of the bars to which I am a member.

District Court of New Jersey, and shall strictly observe the dates fixed for scheduling conferences, motions, pretrial conferences, trials or any other proceedings.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: June 16, 2023

Respectfully Submitted,

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## **ATTACHMENT 1**

Pursuant to L. Civ. R. 101(c)(1), below is a list of the names and addresses of the officials or offices that maintain the rolls of the members of the bars to which Christopher J. Cormier is a member.

State Bar of Colorado (1290 Broadway, Suite 1700, Denver, CO 80203)

DC Bar (901 4th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20001)

Virginia State Bar (111 East Main Street, Suite 700, Richmond, VA 23219)

United States District Court for the District of Colorado (901 19th Street, Denver, CO 80294)

United States District Court for the District of Columbia (333 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20001, Rm, 1225)

United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit (95 7th Street, San Francisco, CA 94103)

United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit (1823 Stout Street, Denver, CO 80257)

Supreme Court of the United States (One First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20543)